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INTERACTION DURING A GROUP-BUYING SALE

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SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS IN APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.54(a)
and 37 CFR 1.53(f)

The Applicants filed U.S. Application No. 09/596,921 on June 19, 2000 without a declaration. *In advance* of an official Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, and pursuant to 37 CFR 1.54(a) and 37 CFR 1.53(f), transmitted herewith are:

1. Executed Declaration for U.S. Application No. 09/596,921
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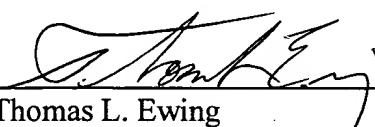
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